

PAST AND FUTURE CLUB ACTIVITIES

Social Committee of Woman's Evening Clinic "At Home" This Afternoon.

WAGES HEALTH CAMPAIGN

Special Meeting of the Woman's Peace Party Held at the New Ebbitt.

The social committee of the Woman's Evening Clinic will hold an "at home" this afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock, to which an invitation is extended to all who are interested in the work of this organization, which has been characterized as "a helping hand and small-fee clinic," that will not accept patients who are able to pay more than a dollar a visit.

The following members of the board will assist in receiving: Mrs. Robert S. Chew, Mrs. John J. Duff, Mrs. Henry W. Fitch, Mrs. Henry H. Flather, Mrs. George Hewitt Myers, Mrs. Seaton Perry, Mrs. Richard Walnwright, and Mrs. Bates Warren.

Good Health Campaign.
In connection with the clinic, "Keep Well" clubs have been organized, in which society women, social service workers, home makers, working girls, nurses, and physicians have joined hands in a campaign for good health.

A special department of child hygiene has been added, the object being to make the most careful mental and physical tests of children.

Present Officers.

The present officers of the clinic are Mrs. John Hays Hammond, president; Mrs. Charles E. Hughes, first vice president; Mrs. Robert Chew, second vice president; Mrs. Richard Walnwright, third vice president; Mrs. Samuel Spencer, fourth vice president; Mrs. Julius Latschburg, secretary; Miss Esther M. Behrend, treasurer; Dr. Elinora C. Folkmar, superintendent.

Woman's Peace Party.

A special meeting of the Woman's Peace Party was held Monday afternoon at the New Ebbitt Hotel. Mrs. Charles T. Hallinan, wife of the Anti-War League worker, gave a report on the hearings that have been held before the Senate Committee on Military Affairs. While it would be impossible to predict what Congress would do, Mrs. Hallinan declared, the hearings could not fail to open the eyes of the committee to the fact that there was widespread and deep-rooted opposition to the bill.

To Write President.

Mrs. Alice Thacher Post, wife of the assistant secretary of labor, read portions of the President's peace message to Congress and carefully analyzed them. The society voted to send a letter to President Wilson expressing appreciation of his stand on the subject.

Preceding the meeting, a business session of the executive committee was held to arrange for a concert to be given on March 12 by the Don Carlo Grand Opera Company, for the benefit of the peace movement.

The meeting was called this week in order that the next regular meeting, next Monday, may be devoted entirely to business, that being the date for the annual election of officers of the Washington branch of the Woman's Peace Party.

Philo-Classics.

At the last meeting of the Philo-Classics, at the home of Mrs. Burr Williams, 608 North Carolina avenue southeast, the program of the afternoon was conducted by the president, Mrs. Faber Stevenson. In preparation for the study of "The Rime of the Ancient Mariner," Mrs. Williams gave a talk on the life of Coleridge, "The Folklore of the Sea," and an interpretation of the poem.

Mrs. J. Finney Engle spoke of the poem's place in literature and read "The Bird of Paradise." "The Rime of the Ancient Mariner" was read by the club.

Welcome Former President.

Mrs. John H. Stokes, a former president of the organization, was cordially welcomed. Mrs. Augustus Knight, vice-president of the club, and chairman of the art committee of the District Federation, invited the club to her home for the Wednesday afternoon art program, which would be the last of the series.

D. C. F. W. C.

The meeting of the motion picture committee at the New Ebbitt yesterday morning had to be postponed on account of the serious illness of the chairman, Mrs. J. J. Locher, who has been confined to her home for two weeks with the grip. It was announced that the meeting would be called as soon as Mrs. Locher's health would permit.

The new District Federation year books have just been distributed, and announcement is made of appointment of committee chairmen as follows: Art, Mrs. Augustus Knight; civics, Mrs. Charles P. Grandfield; playgrounds, Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes; conservation, Mrs. Lydia Adams-Williams; birds, Mrs. Anson Rogers Tracy; forestry, Mrs. Addie W. Foster; fuels and soils, Mrs. Arzo J. Cory; Lincoln highway, Mrs. Mary Logan Tucker; waterways, Mrs. Anna L. W. Pearce; education, Miss Frances Graham French; child welfare, Mrs. Louise H. Earl; peace, Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood; political science, Miss Catherine Garst; vocational training, Mrs. Frank Fuller; home economics, Mrs. J. Edson Briggs; industrial and social conditions, Mrs. Jessie L. Lane; legislation, Mrs. William E. Andrews; literature and library extension, Mrs. J. Finney Engle; drama, Mrs. Eleanor Newton Buckler; folk-lore, Mrs. Faber Stevenson; motion pictures, Mrs. John J. Locher; music, Mrs. J. Harry Cunningham; patriotism, Mrs. Albertine S. Odell; public health, Dr. Isabel Haslup Lamb; child hygiene, Miss Estelle L. Wheeler; social hygiene, Dr. Elinora C. Folkmar; vital statistics, Mrs. Josephine A. Rich; temperance, Mrs. Theodore T. Moore.

DEMOCRATS TO MEET HERE

National Committee Plans Session After Inauguration.

A meeting of the Democratic National Committee will be held in Washington the day after inauguration. It will be the first meeting of the full committee since the concluding day of the St. Louis convention last June.

Vance C. McCormick, the chairman, who spent a couple of days in Washington this week, sent out the call before leaving for his home.

Arrangements for maintaining permanent Democratic headquarters in Washington will be made. Offices already have been engaged, and a staff employed.

POPULAR MEDICINE

BY DR. HIRSHBERG

Intelligent Observation of Rules of Hygiene Will Decrease Illness.

By DR. LEONARD K. HIRSHBERG.

The average man, who boasts that he "does things" without regard to theory, and who strongly maintains that he is "a self-made man of common sense and practical action," is accustomed to pooh-pooh the laboratory man of science. He thinks that the experimenter usually fritters away his time upon impracticable researches.

Perhaps many will so regard Dr. Arthur D. Hirschfelder's researches upon the effects of muriatic, phosphoric, tartaric, hydrobromic, sulphuric and nitric acids on human tissues, yet I can see in them, despite my disclaimer to the gift of prophecy, certain explanations of why you and I are at times puffy under the eyes.

Indeed, the actions of acids and salts upon the proteins of flesh of the human fabric, if thoroughly understood, may lead to an insight into the "why and wherefore" of wrinkles, crowfeet, dimples, blears eyes, and many other oddities of the complexion.

Cause of Swelling Found.

The discovery that acids and alkalis cause gelatin, protein and flesh to swell was made by an Italian, Prof. Spiro. Dr. Martin H. Fischer, of Cincinnati, was the first to elaborate and introduce the knowledge that "colloids," such as white of egg, molarase, gelatin, and other non-crystalline imbibe water and give rise to dropsy.

This daring and original explanation of Dr. Fischer's has been substantiated by many original researches from purely scientific laboratories.

Prof. Fischer and Dr. Hirschfelder are agreed that the salt of sulphuric acid, such as sulphate of magnesia or Epsom salts, sulphate of soda or Glauber's salts, sulphate of potash, and other sulphates have a particular value in their power to prevent, check, and to "inhibit" dropsy or edema.

The "inhibition" of the dropsy or swellings of tissues depends upon the nature of the salts of the particular acids used. Table salt, nitres, and bromides have a tendency to increase the edema or dropsy, if they do not check it. The sulphates, phosphates, and grape salts and fruit salts generally seem to reduce dropsical conditions.

A Simple Experiment.

Gelatin, egg white and blood clots can be made to swell up experimentally in water if table salt is added. The other salts, especially the sulphates, prevent this.

Phosphates and the fruit salts, such as tartrates from grapes and citrates from lemons, have purgative and kidney activities. They are also the ones which keep the flesh and blood corpuscles from swelling.

Dr. Hirschfelder found an excellent fabric for the study of localized dropsy—edema limited in area to a small portion of the anatomy—to be the eye.

The eyes of rabbits were made puffy by the irritating vapors of mustard oil, just as our eyes are frequently swollen from oils, dust, tobacco and other irritants. They became dropsical with the colorless water which escaped from around the whites of the eyes. In this experiment it was found that dropsy of the eyelids can be caused by many different causes, but this time it was strictly a local and not a blood or internal cause.

May Produce Dropsy.

Prof. Fischer discovered that there is an antagonism between salts and acids in their power to produce or not to produce dropsy in different proteins or tissues. This furnishes a link to explain how water is absorbed by gelatin and other "colloids," which has led to the practical treatment of dropsy by forbidding the use of table salts or acid salts in any form of food.

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ATTRACTIONS DUE HERE NEXT WEEK

Attractions to Be Seen at Playhouses in the Near Future.

Stand-By-Films.

A trio of film stars Dorothy Dalton, Howard Hickman, and Enid Markey will lead the program at Moore's Strand Theater next Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday in "The Female of the Species." A new kind of social triangle is presented in this story. It is not composed of two men pining for the love of a girl, but two women striving to outdo each other in the fight for a man.

William Desmond, the robust and handsome young film star, will be seen on Wednesday and Thursday in "The Iced Bullet." It tells a novel and unusual story of studio life and presents fascinating details of the making of motion pictures.

Garden-Of-Films.

At Moore's Garden Theater next Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday the central attraction will be a visualization of Hamlet Garland's dramatic story, "Money Magic," featuring such stars of the film world as Edith Storey, Antonio Moreno and William Duncan.

The plot concerns the unhappiness of a young woman who is married to an aged invalid. A young man comes into her life, but strange as it may seem he, too, in turn is betrothed to a woman destined to be an invalid for the remainder of her days.

Bessie Love and Elmer Clifton will be featured on Wednesday and Thursday in an effective photoplay entitled, "The Flower Girl," in which two youthful members of society each traveling under a heavy handicap, finally, after many a struggle find fame and fortune. Dorothy Gish and Frank Bennett will be seen on Friday and Saturday in a novel film play, "The Little Yank." It is a romance of the days when the North and South were divided.

Ten Star Series—February 2.

With Percy Grainger and Julia Heinrich as the artists, the seventh concert of T. Arthur Smith's "Ten Star Series" will be given at the National Theater Friday afternoon.

Mr. Grainger not only is a pianist of rare ability, but a composer of note whose compositions preceded him to this country. "Miss Heinrich has a soprano of charm, a radiant personality, and her selection of numbers for this concert is rich in promise.

Philadelphia Orchestra—February 6.

Next Tuesday afternoon, at the National Theater, the Philadelphia orchestra will give the fourth of its series of five Washington concerts. The soloist for the occasion will be

the famous old colleges at Oxford and in the heart of India. Mr. Hayakawa is seen as the son of the Maharajah, who is sent to England to be educated. Through the flirtation of a girl he vows a feud against the English and returns to his own country. How his hatred is eventually appeased is depicted in a startling and vivid manner. Supporting Sessue Hayakawa are Vola Vale, Ernest Joy, Walter Long, and Tsuru Aoka.

Beginning Thursday and for the last half of the week Lenora Ulrich will be seen as the star in Julia C. Ivers' unusual Indian story, "Her Own People," adapted for the screen especially for her.

New York Symphony—Feb. 7.
The Symphony Society of New York, Walter Damrosch, conductor, will give a final concert of the Washington series on next Wednesday afternoon at the Belasco Theater at 4:30.

The soloist will be Josef Hofmann. The program is a remarkable one of artistic balance and contrast. It opens with an intellectual masterpiece of great power in Brahms' Symphony in C minor, the great work that critics have called the "Tenth Symphony," placing this work next to Beethoven's incomparable "Ninth." Then follows an example of the Romantic School in Chopin's well-known concerto for the piano in E minor, a composition full of tender beauty and brilliant effects.

Josef Hermann will play this concerto. The third and last number on the program exhibits one of the last messages of modern music in the march from Rimsky Korsakov's "Le coq d'or."

LECTURE ON HAPPINESS

Christian Scientist is to Speak at Poli's Theater Sunday.

The third of the series of lectures being given this season under the auspices of the local Christian Science churches will be delivered at Poli's Theater at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, February 4, by William R. Hathorn, C. S. B., a member of the board of lectureship of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

Mr. Hathorn is one of the most fluent of the Christian Science lecturers and has announced as his special topic for next Sunday, "The Way to Happiness Here and Hereafter," a topic which is of interest to everyone.

Arrangements in seating will be made to accommodate all who may desire to attend, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public. As is invariably the case with these lectures, admission is free and no collection will be taken.

MANION WILL FILED.

Kate A. Manion by her will filed in the District Supreme Court, directs that her estate be divided between her sister, Mary E. Flannagan, and a nephew, James Dunbar Dodson, both of this city. They are also named as executrix and executor.

CLOUD HANGS OVER PEACE LEAGUE PLAN

Senators Opposed to Idea Doubt If Two-thirds Vote is Possible.

Senators opposed to the Wilson plan for a league to enforce peace declared today that the United States would never enter into such a league, and that it had become plain no treaty of this kind could be ratified by the Senate.

They pointed to the fact that the entire Republican side would line up against the league, as shown in the vote yesterday on the Cummins motion, and one or more Democrats as well.

Two-thirds Vote Impossible.
On this basis it would not be possible to get a two-thirds vote to ratify a treaty to put the United States into a league to enforce peace. If it comes to the point where the President actually negotiates a treaty to put the United States into a league to enforce peace, a two-thirds vote in the Senate will be needed to ratify.

Democrat Votes Against Motion.

Yesterday, on the motion to table the Cummins motion, the vote was 38 to 30. While the motion carried, nevertheless on this basis it would not be possible to get a two-thirds vote for the talk of treaty. Senator Martine of New Jersey, Democrat, voted against the motion to table, and it is probable that if the President tried to line up all the Democrats for a league to enforce peace he would fail.

The debate over the league to enforce peace has merely begun. Senator Cummins' speech yesterday was only a start. It may break out any day. Senators Borah and Lodge are preparing to speak, and will do so in a few days at most. However, the Senate seethes with feeling on the subject, and there is no telling when this feeling will boil over.

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